

2011 WorldSkills Australia School – VET in Schools

Primary Industries Competition

PRI11/3 – Competitors' Pre-Competition Information

Preamble

Welcome to the WorldSkills Australia VET In Schools Primary Industries Regional Competition. This competition will run for approximately 6 hours.

The aim of this exercise is two fold.

Firstly it is a WorldSkills Schools competition that ranks competitors according to the skills demonstrated on the day.

Secondly, it is an assessment of competence to give competency standards in this case elements from:

RTC 2209A	Install, maintain and repair fencing.
RTC 2701A	Follow OHS procedures
RTC 2702A	Observe environmental work practices
RTC 2704A	Provide Basic First Aid
RTC 2801A	Participate in workplace communications

Your demonstration or non-demonstration of competence affects your ranking in the competition.

There are three (3) parts to this competition:

PART A: Repair a fence **35 marks**

PART B: Scenario: Emergency situation **30 marks**

Competitors will be divided into groups.

Part A and B will be undertaken by each group concurrently under separate supervision.

- Attached are your instructions. Please read them carefully, you will need to refer to them to complete the required tasks.
- You will be given a copy of the Marking Scale to look at ½ hour before the event: This must be returned before commencing. It is worth giving it a quick read so that you may have an understanding of how marks are to be awarded

Instructions for Competitors

N.B. Compliance with OH&S procedures is expected in all tasks.

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PART A

You are a farm hand at Abbey Station, Penny Lane, Kintyre.

Your usual jobs include livestock handling; pasture improvement, tractor work and general farm maintenance.

Competitors are required to:

- Repair a fence
 - Assess the repairs and list on the task sheet
 - Select what you need to fix the fence
 - Repair the fence
 - Clean up afterwards and replace all equipment and tools.

PART B

Competitors are required to:

- Respond in an emergency situation.
- Identify and assess the signs and symptoms of the casualty.
- Management of the casualty.
- Emergency communication is carried out.

Part A

The farmer wants you to repair a fence.

Note: Safe work practices should be followed according to industry standards.

Task 1

Identify and assess the fence and surrounding areas for potential hazards.
Complete Worksheet 1.

Task 2

Select the appropriate materials and equipment for the task.

Task 3

Undertake the fence repairs

Task 4

Clean up after the repair to industry standard.

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MARKING SUMMARY

Competencies	Maximum	Actual
	Mark	Mark
Part A		
Task 1: Assess repairs	12	
Task 2: Select tools	3	
Task 3: Repair the fence	15	
Task 4: Clean up	5	
Part B		
Task 1: Emergency procedure	18	
Task 2: Report Accident	12	
TOTAL	88	

OH&S Requirements

Electrical Equipment test & tag - Organisers and Competitors - Only 240V & 415v electrical equipment that has been tested by a competent person and has a current test tag attached shall be allowed to be used in the competitions

Demonstrate Good Housekeeping - Organisers and Competitors are required to properly manage their workplace, including minimising waste, preventing unavoidable power/gas consumption and effectively using materials and tools.

Safe Work Method Statement - Competitors must complete a Safe Work Method Statement in preparation to compete in the competition. Completed Safe Work Method Statements must be submitted to the Chief Judge prior to the start of the competition. No competitor will be allowed to compete in the competition unless a Safe Work Method Statement has been completed.

Electrical Procedures - Organisers and Competitors involved in any electrical activities associated with the competitions are required to use a safe system of work. This shall include following the WorldSkills Australia Electrical procedure and completing an Electrical Risk Assessment prior to competition.

Safety Checklist

The Safety Checklists are to be completed by the Chief Judge in each category prior to commencing the competitions each day

The Safety Checklists will help you maintain a safe working environment
Workers includes all persons associated with the competition work areas.